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E.O. 11652:

TAGS:OVIP

SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF FORMER SENATOR HAROLD HUGHES

REF: COLOMBO 508

1. FORMER SENATOR HAROLD HUGHES IS VISITING PERSONAL FRIENDS IN SOUTH ASIA FOLLOWING HIS CHAIRING OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON DRUGS AND ALCOHOLISM IN BANGKOK. ACCORDING TO MR. FRED HEYN OF FELLOWSHIP HOUSE, WASHINGTON,D.C. SENATOR HUGHES AND DOUGLAS COE WILL BE SEEING FORMER CEYLONSE AMBASSADOR TO US, OLIVER WEERASINGHE AND NANDA DISSANAYAKE, FORMER STUDENT IN US.

2. SENATOR HUGHES AND COE ARE ASSOCIATED WITH "CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP" WHICH DESCRIBES ITSELF AS GROUP OF CONCERNED CHRISTIAN LAYMEN. THEY ARE ACTIVE ORGANIZERS OF WHITE HOUSE PRAYER BREAKFAST. INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT INC. WHICH IS HELPING FINANCE BRITTON BROTHERS SOYBEAN PROJECT IN SRI LANKA IS AFFILIATED WITH FELLOWSHIP. FELLOWSHIP ALSO CULTIVATES PRAYER BREAKFAST CONCEPT ABROAD AND ATTEMPTS ESTABLISH INFORMAL COMMUNICATIONS AMONG WORLD LEADERS INCLUDING NON-CHRISTIANS, BASED ON UNCLASSIFIED

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SHARED SPIRITUAL VALUES. COE VISITED SRI LANKA IN 1970

AND MET MINISTER OF IRRIGATION SENANAYAKE.

3. MR. HEYN HAD NO SPECIFIC REQUESTS FOR ASSISTANCE WHEN  
DEPTOFF (LEADER) MENTIONED EMBASSY COLOMBO INQUIRY.  
HE EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR DEPT OFF'S INDICATION  
EMBASSY WOULD ASSIST IF REQUESTED. KISSINGER

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